

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-02622-ABJ**

WP COMPANY LLC v. SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL  
FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION

Assigned to: Judge Amy Berman Jackson

Case: 1:17-cv-02114-ABJ

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 11/14/2018

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act

Jurisdiction: Federal Question

**Plaintiff**

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*doing business as*  
**WASHINGTON POST**

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**Defendant**

**SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL  
FOR AFGHANISTAN  
RECONSTRUCTION**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
11/14/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT WP COMPANY LLC d/b/a THE WASHINGTON POST against All Defendants SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5790610) filed by WASHINGTON POST COMPANY. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit Exhibit E, # <u>6</u> Exhibit Exhibit F, # <u>7</u> Exhibit Exhibit G, # <u>8</u> Exhibit Exhibit H, # <u>9</u> Exhibit Exhibit I, # <u>10</u> Exhibit Exhibit J, # <u>11</u> Exhibit Exhibit K, # <u>12</u> Civil Cover Sheet Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>13</u> Summons SIGAR Summons, # <u>14</u> Summons Whitaker Summons, # <u>15</u> Summons Liu Summons)(Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
11/14/2018	<u>2</u>	NOTICE OF RELATED CASE by All Plaintiffs. Case related to Case No. 1:17-cv-2114. (Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
11/14/2018	<u>3</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by WASHINGTON POST COMPANY (Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
11/15/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Amy Berman Jackson. (zrdj) (Entered: 11/15/2018)
11/15/2018	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zrdj) (Entered: 11/15/2018)

11/21/2018	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 11/16/2018. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 12/16/2018. (Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/21/2018)
11/21/2018	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 11/16/2018. (Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/21/2018)
11/21/2018	<u>7</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION served on 11/19/2018 (Tobin, Charles) (Entered: 11/21/2018)
12/17/2018	<u>8</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Michael Fraser Knapp on behalf of SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION (Knapp, Michael) (Entered: 12/17/2018)
12/17/2018	<u>9</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1 – SIGAR ltr to WP (May 31, 2017))(Knapp, Michael) (Entered: 12/17/2018)
12/19/2018		MINUTE ORDER. Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. The requirements of Local Civil Rule 16.3 and Rule 26(f) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure appear to be inapplicable. Defendant shall file a dispositive motion or, in the alternative, a report setting forth the schedule for the completion of its production of documents to plaintiff, on or before January 22, 2019. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Amy Berman Jackson on 12/19/2018. (lcabj3) (Entered: 12/19/2018)
01/17/2019	<u>10</u>	Unopposed MOTION to Stay by SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Knapp, Michael) (Entered: 01/17/2019)